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Our Case No. 10808/40

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Lawrence Loh et al.

Serial No. 09/964,942

Filing Date: September 26, 2001

For

MEDIA CROSS CONVERSION
INTERFACE

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PETITION FOR CORRECTION OF FILING DATE

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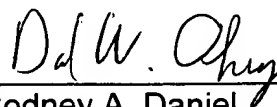
Applicants petition for correction of the filing date of the present application,
09/964,942, filed on September 26, 2001, for a Media Cross Conversion Interface.

The application was properly filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10. Accordingly, the filing
date of the application should be the date that the application was deposited as
"Express Mail" in the U.S. Mail Service, September 26, 2001.

The application was deposited on September 26, 2001 as Express Mail Post Office to Addressee, with Express Mail Certificate No. EL 746760568US, addressed to the Commissioner for Patents. A copy of the receipt for this Express Mail certificate is attached as Exhibit A, the receipt clearly marked "9 26 01" by the Post Office receiving clerk. The post card received back from the Patent Office for this application, Exhibit B, was incorrectly dated "9/27/2001". A copy of the post card is attached. Both the post card and the Express Mail receipt were marked with the Attorney Docket No. for this case, 10808/40. Attached also as an exhibit is the front cover of the patent application, Exhibit C, properly marked with the Express Mail certificate number and the filing date of September 26, 2001. Exhibit D is the Patent Application Transmittal Letter, also marked with the filing date of September 26, 2001, and the Express Mail certificate number.

Accordingly, Applicants petition the Patent Office to issue a corrected filing receipt listing the Filing Date as 9/26/2001. Applicants believe that no petition fee is due because the proper procedures were followed, and the error seems to be merely a mistake on the part of the Patent Office. Nevertheless, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

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